First Congregational
United Church of Christ

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An open and affirming community committed to peace and justice

November 6, 2022
10:00 am

“Hold on to Faith”

No matter who you are or where you are on life’s journey, You are welcome here!

WORSHIP ON ZOOM -- Zoom opens at 9:30 am Sunday morning.

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7643282234

Meeting ID: 764 328 2234
Passcode: Ypsi1882
To join by phone, dial the number, 1-312-626-6799

- Welcome to Ypsilanti First Congregational UCC's Zoom Worship Service
- Hymns are included in the worship bulletin. A separate hymnal is not needed.
- If you are joining worship for the first-time on Zoom, please add your name and email to the chat so the Zoomie Greeter can introduce you.
- Thank you for choosing to worship with us today!

OPEN AND AFFIRMING COVENANT OF
First Congregational United Church of Christ, Ypsilanti

First Congregational United Church of Christ, Ypsilanti celebrates everyone, including people of all ages, races, cultures, sexual orientations, gender identifies and expressions, family configurations, economic circumstances, physical, cognitive or emotional abilities, education or spiritual or religious traditions. All are welcome to participate fully in the life, leadership, ministry, and missions of this church as we seek to grow together in a safe, nurturing community of faith. We strive to demonstrate in all ways that "NO MATTER WHO YOU ARE OR WHERE YOU ARE ON LIFE'S JOURNEY, YOU ARE WELCOME HERE!"

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE *Start Zoom Recoding to Cloud **VISHNU SRINIVAS**

"For All the Saints"

By, Ralph Vaughn Williams; Arr, Cindy Berry

RINGING THE BELL **MARTY KLEINO**

WELCOME **PASTOR LIZ**

- A warm welcome to all, including first-time visitors.
- As stated in our Open and Affirming Covenant (previous page), all persons are welcome in this community of faith.
- **Today—the first Sunday of the month--we celebrate the birthdays of folks in our faith community born in this month by singing "Happy Birthday." Our records show Anne Marie Nicoll-Turner, Patty Sherwood, Carl Larrivee and John Rohde with November birthdays. If you also have a birthday in November, let us know; we will sing to you too.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS **DAN KIDDER-McQUOWN**

- **COMMUNITY SHARING OF OTHER ANNOUNCMENTS:**
  - The Worship Leader and Room Greeter, Dan Kidder-McQuown; Zoom Greeter, Ellie Gusman.
  - The Greeters will introduce folks participating in worship.
  - Please share your announcements so everyone can learn what is happening in our beloved ministry community.
  - **This is the first Sunday of the month; we will be sharing communion during this service. Please gather your own elements. Creativity is a blessing!**
  - Please submit written announcements to Margaret Harner, Worship Coordinator, margaretsharner@gmail.com, by midnight on Tuesday.

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

GATHERING HYMN *Microphone muted **BETH MITCHELL**

"Morningstar"

2 SING

CALL TO WORSHIP *Unison **DAN KIDDER-McQUOWN**

We gather in awe standing in the presence of the One
who crafted the stars, the mountains, the seas.
We gather in faith, trusting the One who has held little children
and holds our lives in the heart of God.
We gather in need, seeking the One who longs for justice
to grace each and every person in creation.

HYMN *Microphone muted *Standing optional **BETH MITCHELL**

"I'm Pressing on the Upward Way"

442 NCH

LISTENING FOR GOD

FIRST READING **Haggai 1:15b-2:9** **DAN KIDDER MCQUOWN**

SECOND READING **Luke 20:27-38** **PASTOR LIZ**

HYMN *Microphone muted Standing optional **BETH MITCHELL**

"I Want Jesus to Go with Me
490 NCH

MORNING MESSAGE **"Hold on to Faith"** **PASTOR LIZ**

CONVERSING WITH THE HOLY ONE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE *Pause Zoom recording (button with two vertical lines)
*Zoomies: Please turn on your microphone

You are invited to share your joys and petitions for prayer.
Please unmute your microphone to share a joy or make a prayer of petition.
At the end of each joy or petition, please say **"God in your mercy"**
We will respond (with microphones muted) **"Hear our prayers"**

PASTORAL PRAYER *Restart Zoom recording **PASTOR LIZ**

DISCIPLES' PRAYER *Unison with Microphone muted **PASTOR LIZ**

Loving God, we come to you for truth, that we might understand.
We come to you for comfort, that we might be sustained and understood.
We come to you for challenge, that we might be reminded
That our ways our not your ways and that we can change.
We come to you, Holy One.
We come to you.
Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY INVITATION **PASTOR LIZ**

Our electronic giving platform is Tithe.ly: Link to Tithe.ly

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Thank you for your generosity!

OFFERTORY **"The Solid Rock"** **VISHNU SRINIVAS**

By William B.Bradbury, Arr Cindy Berry

DOXOLOGY *Microphone muted **BETH MITCHELL**

"Take My Gifts" V.2 562 NCH

Take the fruits that I have gathered from the tree your Spirit sowed,
Harvest of your own compassion, juice that makes the wine of God,
Spiced with humor, laced with laughter, flavor of the Jesus life,
Tang of risk and new adventure, taste and zest beyond belief.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION *Unison with Microphone muted **DAN KIDDER-McQUOWN**

We take courage, O God, for your Spirit abides with us.
We rejoice to bring our treasure to meet yours
enriching the community inside this familiar place,
and to enrich the community of those who live around us that they may be blessed by our gifts.
May we share your love as our hearts expand.
Amen

HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN *Microphone muted **BETH MITCHELL**

"As We Gather at Your Table"
332 NCH

COMMUNION SERVICE **PASTOR LIZ**

No matter who you are and where you are on life's journey, you are welcome at Christ's table!

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING **PASTOR LIZ**

DEPARTING WITH PRAISE

CLOSING HYMN *Microphone muted Standing optional **BETH MITCHELL**

"Renew Your Church"
311 NCH

BENEDICTION *Unison **PASTOR LIZ**

God gives us the vision,
so let us go to see others as our siblings.
Jesus gives us the eyes,
so let us look in all the unexpected places
to welcome all into our lives.
The Spirit calls us to watch,
so let us bear witness to the justice and hope
coming into our shattered world.
Amen

POSTLUDE * Remain seated **VISHNU SRINIVAS**

"Now Thank We All Our God"
By Johann Cruger, Arr Cindy Berry

PASSING THE PEACE *Stop Zoom Recording (square button) **FRIENDS GATHERED**

- Share a greeting with others as we transition to our casual **Friendship Time.**

Hybrid Sunday Worship 10:00 am

Rev. Liz Larrivee, Pastor & Spiritual Director
Tiffanie Waldron, Music Director
Vishnu Srinivas, Accompanist

Beth Mitchell, Vocalist
Jenn Zibbell, Member-in-Discernment
Dan Kidder McQuown, Worship Leader/Room Greeter
Ellie Gusman, Zoom Greeter
Marty Kleino, Usher & Bell Ringer

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you to Beth Mitchell for sharing her beautiful voice leading our hymns this morning. This is the 3rd week Beth has shared her gifts with us while Tiffanie recovered from her illness and now is at a Conference this weekend as part of her doctorate program. Thank you, Beth!

Worship Next Week: **Donna Eyster, Worship Leader/Room Greeter; Jeanette Sherrill, Zoom Greeter.**

Rev Dan Kidder-McQuown will be preaching Nov 27th. Thank you, Dan, for sharing your faith and creativity with us.

Community Discernment Gathering: Thanks to all who attended last Monday's first fall Community Discernment Gathering based on Susan Beaumont's book *How to Lead When You Don't Know Where You're Going: Leading in a Liminal Season.* The Spirit is moving among us as we stretch our "stillness" muscles by practicing silent prayer, meditation, and deep breathing.

Next Monday (November 7 at 7:00 pm on Zoom) we will begin Step 1 of Beaumont's community group discernment process (Chapter 4) by "Framing" our topic for these gatherings within the larger umbrella of "Purpose = Identity + Context + Values (Chapter 6). All are welcome to participate as we seek to discern together where God is already at work so we may align our congregation's time, talents and gifts with the Spirit's movement.

Florida Fruit Drive Continues: You can make a difference! Your purchases support Florida's economic recovery from Hurricane Ian AND our church's local Washtenaw County ministries and social justice work. We are again partnering with Indian River Groves in Florida to provide citrus products. This is an annual fund raiser for Ypsilanti First Congregational UCC; to date we have only sold 5 boxes of fruit. **If you would like a reminder list of those people you sold to last year, please let Ivan know; txt him at 734-417-6531, or email ivanharner@gmail.com.** We have found the fruit to be excellent and the company very responsive, and cooperative to work with. Share this information with friends and family. Please help us meet our fund-raising goals! This makes a perfect gift for the holiday season.

Use the link below to make your order
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or go to our web site www.ypsiucc.org

Thank you for your support of the Ypsilanti First Congregational UCC.

WeROC invites: you to consider joining with our local union allies in a focused **Labor GOTV effort next week:** On Sat, Sun, Mon, and Tue (Elec Day), they are organizing opportunities every day for any of us to do people-to-people outreach to local union members -- at 9am, noon, and 3pm. Great way to make a difference AND meet some great local union folks. Tad and his union are canvassing on Saturday Nov 5 at noon. We're

grateful to have so many people like you helping us all to resist together the dark clouds that our opponents seem to be going all-out to engulf us in these days, you know? -- Tad Wysor for the WeROC Leadership Team 734 883 3225 or tadwysor@gmail.com.

From the WeROC Health Equity Action Team: The communication below from the Community Mental Health Association asks for everyone's help in preventing a Lame Duck action in the Michigan Legislature to turn over important mental health services for one of our most vulnerable communities to private inc]surance. Please contact your legislators and ask them to vote no on this attempt to rush harmful legislation through as they leave office. There is a helpful link below in their message to make it easy to respond. Thanks!

CMHA
Community Mental Health Association of Michigan

Call to Action

Rumors have been swirling around Lansing for the past several weeks that Sen. Shirkey & Rep. Whiteford have been drafting a compromise bill that would combine SBs 597 & 598 along with HBs 4925 – 4928 in an attempt to get "something" done before the end of the year. Most of the talk around a compromise bill has been to move all of the Medicaid kids services including autism and foster care over to private insurance companies and then the state would create 1 statewide entity to manage the other populations (essentially going from 10 PIHPs to 1 PHIP or ASO). CMHA and our allies have not been part of the discussions with Sen. Shirkey and Rep. Whiteford, those discussions have been behind closed doors so can only speculate on the content of such a proposal, but we do know that both sides have had multiple conversations and meetings.

With the November 8 General Election and the lame duck legislative session fast approaching we want to make sure that policy makers still know we are out here, and we are watching. After the election on November 8, there are only 11 more scheduled session days left in the calendar year. We certainly do not want termed out legislators passing a half-baked idea as they are walking out the door just for the sake of doing "something".

We believe any compromise bill between Sen. Shirkey and Rep. Whiteford will be equally as bad as the current version of SBs 597 & 598, which would still privatize Medicaid mental health services by

giving them financial control and oversight or decision making to for-profit insurance companies.

REQUEST FOR ACTION: We are asking you to reach out to your legislators (House & Senate) and the Governor and URGE them to "not support a LAME DUCK deal on SBs 597 & 598. Stakeholders have not been part of the recent or meaningful discussions and the Legislature should not be making changes of this magnitude with so few legislative days left. This approach is nothing more than a health plan money grab, these bills will not improve care for Michigan's most vulnerable citizens, and it will give control to entities who have not proven they can do the job – this is BAD public policy." Please feel free to customize your response as you see fit.

We also need you **to ask that the members of your Board of Directors, your staff, and your community partners make those same contacts – SIMPLY FORWARD THIS EMAIL TO THEM**. This will not be the last action alert we send out before the end of the year. It is critical that lawmakers hear from us before the critical November 8 election and know this is an issue that is important to the voters in their districts.

Thank you in advance for your support and tireless advocacy on this important topic.

Click the link below to login and send your message:
https://www.votervoice.net/BroadcastLinks/r0eom4Sew7M-BxPqVNDbtQ

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or tadwysor@gmail.com.

OUR CHURCH'S MINISTRIES

HOLY GROUNDS

During the Omicron (COVID) surge members of Ypsi UCC provided local coffee, tea, coffee cups, and single packaged snacks for the night shift at Trinity Health St. Joe Mercy Hospital where Rev. Dan Kidder-McQuown is the night chaplain. While the COVID crisis has partially resolved, the stress level of the night staff has not. Contributing factors include the long-term emerging effects of COVID, a lack of staff, a nation-wide nurse shortage, and staff burnout. The night shift greatly appreciates this ministry of hospitality and caring.

Please consider donating coffee that is roasted by local Michigan companies. Tea and single packaged candy or snacks are also welcome. Please contact Marty Kleino at Mgkleino@gmail.com

or 734-262-1419 to have your donation delivered to St. Joes. If you would like more information about this ministry, please contact Dan Kidder-McQuown at mcq188@gmail.com or 517-240-8413.

THE BEACON CENTER

The **Beacon Center** is the newest community social justice of the Ypsilanti First Congregational UCC. As a light to all persons, the Beacon Center's ministry will support the spiritual formation, creative expression, overall thriving and advocacy of at-risk students of all ages, including those affiliated with three primary local institutions of higher learning: Eastern Michigan University, Washtenaw Community College and University of Michigan. In the Spirit of the UCC moto, "That They All Shall Be One", Beacon Center serves as a uniting and unifying umbrella across our congregation serving persons sources through our three other community social justice ministry networks. Those ministries (each detailed below) include WICIR (Washtenaw Interfaith Coalition for Immigrant Rights) serving the immigrant communities, MI-ONA (Michigan Open and Affirming Coalition) serving LGTBQ+ persons, and WeROC (Washtenaw Regional Organizing Coalition) which brings together faith, labor and community organizations to address local issues.

The Beacon Center is committed to advocate for self-determination and education for all people, especially students living in poverty, persons of color experiencing racism, and other de-humanizing circumstances and conditions. Beacon Center's student demographics include persons of color, immigrants, minorities, LGTBQ+ folk, women, those with special needs, the economically disadvantaged, those facing housing insecurity, the financially challenged, and the working poor. For additional information on the Beacon Center, please contact Rev. Liz Larrivee at lizlarrivee@gmail.com

IMMIGRATION MINISTRY – WASHTENAW INTERFAITH COALITION FOR IMMIGRANT RIGHTS (WICIR)

Since 2008, **WICIR** has been working with, and in support of, immigrants in Washtenaw County facing challenges of many kinds. At our inception the primary need that brought us together was to support people facing enforcement action by ICE (Immigration and Customs Enforcement); most often detention, deportation, and removal. To date, WICIR has responded to 650 calls. Always in partnership with folks most affected, many actions and services have evolved as identified by our immigrant siblings, while always keeping focused on our original mission:

To provide culturally sensitive and supportive urgent response to those in Washtenaw County in immigration-related crises; impact local governmental policies to empower and protect immigrant community members; and work toward humane national immigration reform.

Our outreach has been significantly impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Many in immigrant communities have experienced significant challenges as they struggle to pay rent, provide food for their families and other basic survival needs. To respond, WICIR, in partnership with Mexiquenses in Michigan (from St. Francis of Assisi Parish), has raised and distributed $200,000 relief funds to immigrants and their families. We have a waiting list of those still in need and will continue this effort as funds are available.

For information about what's happening with immigrant rights and **Washtenaw Interfaith Coalition for Immigrant Rights**, or if you are interested in learning ways to help, please contact Melanie Harner at melharner@gmail.com or through the WICIR website: https://wicir.org/. You can also find a link on the church website.

WASHTENAW REGIONAL ORGANIZING COALITION

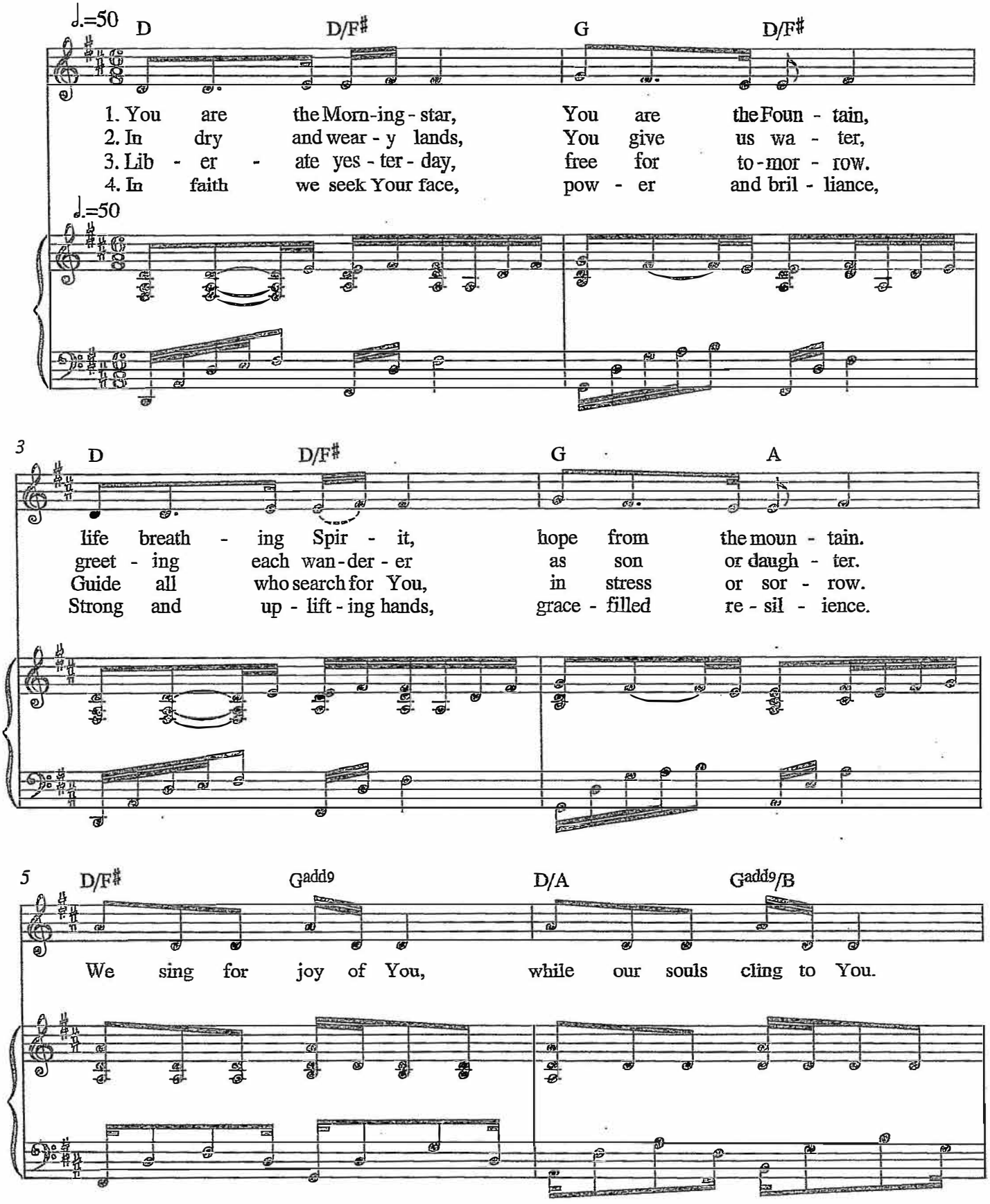
First Congregational is a founding institution of the local “organization of organizations” **WeROC (Washtenaw Regional Organizing Coalition)**. In many ways, WeROC is a larger illustration of the values and mission we try to live out at First Congregational. WeROC members are, at our core, focused on intentionally re-weaving the frayed fabric of community at a time when forces are at work every day to keep us fragmented, suspicious of each other, feeling isolated. Especially in this time when so many are being hit by the health and economic crises, WeROC’s focus on raising voices of those most affected is more important than ever (See COVID-19 Resources at www.werocmi.org) WeROC’s Mission Statement is:

WeROC brings together faith, labor, community organizations, and individuals to build the healthy collective power needed to break down the systems that sustain injustice, racism, and economic inequality.

WeROC is affiliated with the Detroit Metro organization MOSES and the Gamliel National Network. Contact Tad Wysor at tadwysor@gmail.com or 734-883-3225.

This past election year showed us good things can happen when we’re working together in the same direction. WeROC is moving rapidly **forward** to keep momentum going and find ways to continue to be more effective together in making our communities healthier and more vibrant places; improving the lives of *everyone* in big ways-- especially those who are most vulnerable and whose voice have seldom been heard.

Morningstar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D
D/F♯
G
D/F♯
1. You are the Morn-ing - star, You are the Foun - tain,
2. In dry and wear - y lands, You give us wa - ter,
3. Lib - er - ate yes - ter - day, free for to-mor - row.
4. In faith we seek Your face, pow - er and bril - liance,
♩.=50
3
D
D/F♯
G
A
life breath - ing Spir - it, hope from the moun - tain.
greet - ing each wan-der - er as son or daugh - ter.
Guide all who search for You, in stress or sor - row.
Strong and up - lift - ing hands, grace - filled re - sil - ience.
5
D/F♯
Gadd9
D/A
Gadd9/B
We sing for joy of You, while our souls cling to You.

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7
Em
A7
D
1.2.3.
You are the Morn - ing - star.
1.2.3.
9
D
D/F♯
Gadd9
D/A
Gadd9/B
4.
-star.
We sing for joy of You, while our souls cling to You.
4.
12
Em
A7
D
You are the Morn - ing - star.

442 I'm Pressing on the Upward Way
(Higher Ground)

Johnson Oatman, Jr., 1892; alt.

1 I'm press-ing on the up-ward way, new heights I'm gain-ing ev-ery
2 My heart has no de-sire to stay where doubts a-rise and fears dis-
3 I want to live be-yond the world, though Sa-tan's darts at me are
4 I want to scale the ut-most height, and catch a gleam of glo-ry
day; Still pray-ing as I'm on-ward bound, "O plant me,
may; Though some may dwell where these a-bound, my prayer, my
hurled; For faith has caught a joy-ful sound, the song of
bright; But still I'll pray till heaven I've found, "God, lead me
Refrain
God, on high-er ground."
aim is high-er ground.
saints on high-er ground.
on to high-er ground."
O lift me up, and I shall be by faith in heaven e-ter-nal-ly,
A high-er plane than I have found, O plant me, God, on high-er ground.

Johnson Oatman, Jr., wrote hymns while in the insurance business in Mount Holly, New Jersey. Words for more than 5,000 gospel songs are credited to him. Iowa-born Charles Gabriel taught singing schools and compiled many collections of gospel and Sunday School songs.

Tune: HIGHER GROUND L.M. with refrain
Charles H. Gabriel, 1898

490 I Want Jesus to Go with Me

African-American spiritual; alt.

Unison

1 I want Je - sus to go with me;
2 In my tri - als, O com - fort me;
3 When I'm in trou - ble, O stay with me;
I want Je - sus to go with me;
In my tri - als, O com - fort me;
When I'm in trou - ble, O stay with me;
All a - long my pil - grim jour - ney,
When my heart is al - most break - ing,
When my head is bowed in sor - row,
O I want Je - sus to go with me.
O I want Je - sus to com-fort me.
O I want Je - sus to stay with me.

Most spirituals were congregational songs, but such "sorrow songs" as this convey the image of a lone person singing prayerfully to God. The solemnity of this particular spiritual reminds us of the oppression and tragedy with which slavery afflicted so many lives.

Tune: African-American spiritual 8.8.8.9.
Harm. J. Jefferson Cleveland and Verolga Nix, 1981

Take My Gifts

562

Shirley Erena Murray, 1991

1 Take my gifts and let me love you, God who first of all loved me,
2 Take the fruit that I have gath - ered from the tree your Spir-it sowed,
3 Take what-ev - er I can of - fer— gifts that I have yet to find,
gave me light and food and shel - ter, gave me life and set me free,
har - vest of your own com-pas - sion, juice that makes the wine of God,
skills that I am slow to sharp - en, tal - ents of the hand and mind,
now be - cause your love has touched me, I have love to give a - way,
spiced with hu - mor, laced with laugh - ter— fla-vor of the Je - sus life,
things made beau - ti - ful for oth - ers in the place where I must be:
now the bread of love is ris - ing, loaves of love to mul - ti - ply!
tang of risk and new ad - ven-ture, taste and zest be - yond be - lief.
take my gifts and let me love you, God who first of all loved me.

Shirley Erena Murray recounted that Colin Gibson composed this tune for her stewardship text "almost instantaneously." Gibson has served as professor at the University of Ortago, as well as organist and choir director in nearby Dunedin, New Zealand.

Tune: TALAVERA TERRACE 8.7.8.7.D.
Colin Gibson, 1991
Alternate tune: HOLY MANNA

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332 As We Gather at Your Table

Matt. 22:1–10; Luke 14:16–24

Carl P. Daw, Jr., 1989

1 As we gath - er at your ta - ble, as we lis - ten to your word,
help us know, O God, your pres - ence; let our hearts and minds be stirred.
Nour-ish us with sa - cred sto - ry till we claim it as our own;
teach us through this ho - ly ban - quet how to make Love's vic - tory known.
2 Turn our wor - ship in - to wit - ness in the sac - ra - ment of life;
send us forth to love and serve you, bring-ing peace where there is strife.
Give us, Christ, your great com - pas - sion to for - give as you for - gave;
may we still be - hold your im - age in the world you died to save.
3 Gra-cious Spir - it, help us sum - mon oth-er guests to share that feast
where tri - um - phant Love will wel - come those who had been last and least.
There no more will en - vy bind us nor will pride our peace de - stroy,
as we join with saints and an - gels to re - peat the sound-ing joy.

In this hymn, commissioned by an Episcopal parish in Virginia for the celebration of its tricentennial, Carl P. Daw, Jr., utilized a familiar phrase from Isaac Watts' "Joy to the World," which was the motto for the celebration: "Repeat the sounding joy."

Tune: BEACH SPRING 8.7.8.7.D.
The Sacred Harp, *1844*
Harm. The New Century Hymnal, *1992*

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311 Renew Your Church

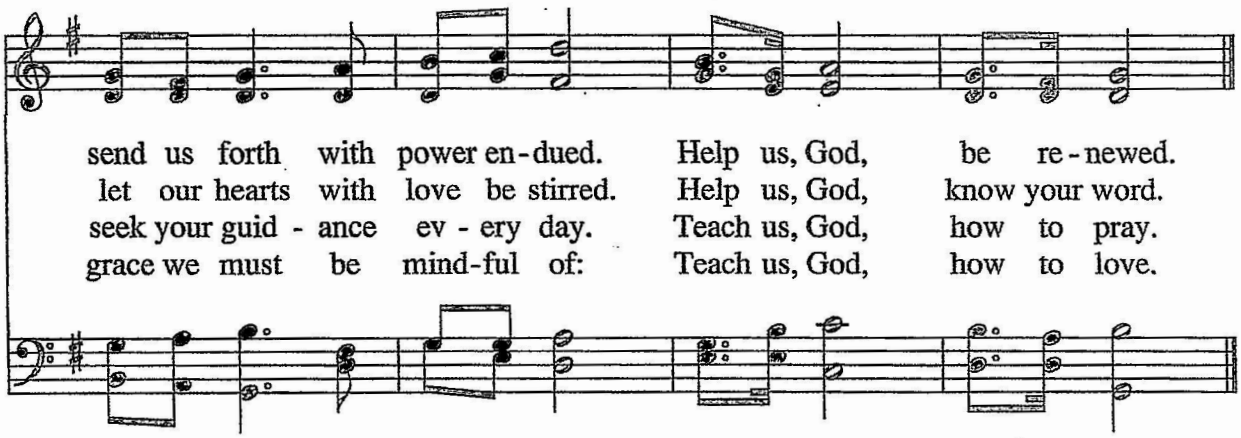
Matt. 5:13–16; Luke 11:1–4; Mark 12:28–34

Kenneth L. Cober, 1960; alt.

1 Re - new your church, its min - is - tries re - store: both to serve
2 Teach us your word, re - veal its truth di - vine; on our path
3 Teach us to pray, for you are ev - er near; your still voice
4 Teach us to love, with strength of heart and mind, each and all—
and a - dore. Make us a - gain as salt through-out the land,
let it shine. Tell of your works, your might - y acts of grace;
let us hear. Our souls are rest - less till they rest in you;
hu - man-kind! Break down old walls of prej - u - dice and hate;
and as light from a stand. 'Mid som - ber shad - ows
from each page show your face. As you have sent your
this is life, full and true. Be - fore your pres - ence
leave us not to our fate. As you have loved and
of the night, where greed and ha - tred spread their blight, O
Christ to save, in love to tri - umph o'er the grave, O
keep us still that we may find for us your will And
given your life to end hos - til - i - ty and strife, Your

Kenneth L. Cober grew up in Puerto Rico, the son of missionary parents. Cober has served churches in many states and has written several books about church education.

Tune: ALL IS WELL 10.6.10.6.8.8.8.6.
Traditional English melody


send us forth with power en-dued. Help us, God, be re-newed.
let our hearts with love be stirred. Help us, God, know your word.
seek your guid - ance ev - ery day. Teach us, God, how to pray.
grace we must be mind-ful of: Teach us, God, how to love.